

## **REMARKS**

Claims 1, 12, 21, 22, 24, 28, 29, 34, 41, 42, 58-60, 63, 64, 72-74, 77-82, 96, 97, 101-105, 119, 120, 124, 126, 143, 144, 147, 148, 160 and 161 are amended. Claims 1-165 remain in the application.

This amendment is filed solely to insert more preferred and grammatically correct hyphenation in the claims, and to change certain uses of "comprising" to "containing" for complete antecedent basis support. The desirability of doing such was only discovered at the time of reviewing the application commensurate with the Notice of Allowance, and this application resulted from a first action allowance. Accordingly, such amendments could not have practically been made early.

Absolutely no change in scope to the amended claims occurs by the amendments made herein, and such amendments do not go to patentability. Yet, Applicant desires that the preferred hyphenation, as shown herein, be made regardless. Further, the undersigned hereby asserts that "containing" and "comprising" are 100% synonymous at least as used herein. The Examiner's burden in considering this Amendment at this time is believed to be minimal, and the undersigned respectfully requests that the Examiner enter this amendment at this time without requiring Applicant to file a Request for Continued Examination.

Respectfully submitted,

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